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EMBASSY & CONSULATE FOR: DEA

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1. THE CCINC FUNDS HAVE BEEN USED IN THE PAST AND SHOULD CONTINUE IN THE FUTURE TO BE USED BY THE NARCOTICS SECTION OF THE ECUADORIAN NATIONAL POLICE; IF NEED BE, THE FUNDS COULD SUPPORT OPERATIONS OF OTHER GOE AGENCIES HAVING AN INTEREST IN NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT. DURING THE LAST QUARTER THE CCINC FUNDS WERE USED BY THE NATIONAL POLICE NARCOTICS SECTION FOR PER DIEM, FIELD MAINTENANCE OF VEHICLES, RENTALS, ETC. THIS WILL CONTINUE WHEN THE FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE.

2. THE 1.5 MILLION SUCRES MENTIONED IN REF A IS BEING USED BY THE NARCOTICS SECTION OF THE ECUADOREAN NATIONAL POLICE TO PAY FOR INFORMATION, PURCHASE
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OTHER INVESTIGATIONS THAT ARE INDEPENDENT. CCINC FUNDS ARE FURNISHED TO THE NARCOTICS SECTION, THROUGH DEA, FOR USE IN THEIR NARCOTICS INVESTIGATIONS IN WHICH DEA HAS A KEEN INTEREST. ADDITIONALLY, INVESTIGATIVE RESPONSE IS QUICKER WHEN FUNDS ARE MORE READILY AVAILABLE IN THE FORM OF CCINC ASSISTANCE.

3. DURING THE LAST QUARTER DEA HAD PROPOSED AN OPIUM POPPY STUDY TO THE NARCOTICS SECTION OF THE NATIONAL POLICE, WHICH WAS MOSTLY FINANCED BY DEA. THE SUB SECRETARY FOR THE NATIONAL POLICE IN THE MINISTRY OF GOVERNMENT ASSIGNED SEVERAL MEN AND EQUIPMENT TO CONDUCT THE STUDY, WITH DEA ASSISTANCE AND OBSERVATION, HOWEVER WANTED IT EXPANDED TO LIKEWISE INCLUDE COCA PRODUCTION. CCINC FUNDS WERE USED FOR PER DIEM, RENTALS, ETC...TO ELIMINATE WIDE SPREAD KNOWLEDGE OF THE STUDY AND TO MOTIVATE THE NARCOTICS SECTION TO MOVE FASTER. DEA WASHINGTON IS FULLY APPRISED OF BACKGROUND OF STUDY.

4. AS MENTIONED IN REF (B) THE FORTHCOMING NCAP WILL MORE FULLY EXPLAIN USE OF THESE FUNDS.
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